

REMARKS

The claims have been amended to rationalize the claims to the intake volume of the structure using the filter structures. The claim amendments are supported at page 24, line 20 and in the claims as filed.

In view of the above amendments and remarks, Applicant respectfully requests a Notice of Allowance. If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would advance the prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number.

Respectfully submitted,

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